

B1 (Official Form 1)(04/13)

United States Bankruptcy Court Northern District of Illinois		Voluntary Petition
Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle): Romero, Emily Michelle		Name of Joint Debtor (Spouse) (Last, First, Middle):
All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):		All Other Names used by the Joint Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):
Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN)/Complete EIN (if more than one, state all) xxx-xx-1445		Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN) No./Complete EIN (if more than one, state all)
Street Address of Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State): 208 13th Ave. Sterling, IL <div style="text-align: right;">ZIP Code 61081</div>		Street Address of Joint Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State): <div style="text-align: right;">ZIP Code</div>
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business: Whiteside		County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business:
Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street address): <div style="text-align: right;">ZIP Code</div>		Mailing Address of Joint Debtor (if different from street address): <div style="text-align: right;">ZIP Code</div>
Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if different from street address above):		
Type of Debtor (Form of Organization) (Check one box) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individual (includes Joint Debtors) <i>See Exhibit D on page 2 of this form.</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation (includes LLC and LLP) <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Other (If debtor is not one of the above entities, check this box and state type of entity below.)	Nature of Business (Check one box) <input type="checkbox"/> Health Care Business <input type="checkbox"/> Single Asset Real Estate as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101 (51B) <input type="checkbox"/> Railroad <input type="checkbox"/> Stockbroker <input type="checkbox"/> Commodity Broker <input type="checkbox"/> Clearing Bank <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Chapter of Bankruptcy Code Under Which the Petition is Filed (Check one box) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chapter 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 13 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 15 Petition for Recognition of a Foreign Main Proceeding <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 15 Petition for Recognition of a Foreign Nonmain Proceeding
Chapter 15 Debtors Country of debtor's center of main interests: Each country in which a foreign proceeding by, regarding, or against debtor is pending:	Tax-Exempt Entity (Check box, if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor is a tax-exempt organization under Title 26 of the United States Code (the Internal Revenue Code).	Nature of Debts (Check one box) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debts are primarily consumer debts, defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose." <input type="checkbox"/> Debts are primarily business debts.
Filing Fee (Check one box) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Full Filing Fee attached <input type="checkbox"/> Filing Fee to be paid in installments (applicable to individuals only). Must attach signed application for the court's consideration certifying that the debtor is unable to pay fee except in installments. Rule 1006(b). See Official Form 3A. <input type="checkbox"/> Filing Fee waiver requested (applicable to chapter 7 individuals only). Must attach signed application for the court's consideration. See Official Form 3B.		Chapter 11 Debtors Check one box: <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor is not a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). Check if: <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$2,490,925 (<i>amount subject to adjustment on 4/01/16 and every three years thereafter</i>). Check all applicable boxes: <input type="checkbox"/> A plan is being filed with this petition. <input type="checkbox"/> Acceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b).
Statistical/Administrative Information <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor estimates that funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor estimates that, after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses paid, there will be no funds available for distribution to unsecured creditors.		THIS SPACE IS FOR COURT USE ONLY
Estimated Number of Creditors <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1-49 <input type="checkbox"/> 50-99 <input type="checkbox"/> 100-199 <input type="checkbox"/> 200-999 <input type="checkbox"/> 1,000-5,000 <input type="checkbox"/> 5,001-10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> 10,001-25,000 <input type="checkbox"/> 25,001-50,000 <input type="checkbox"/> 50,001-100,000 <input type="checkbox"/> OVER 100,000		
Estimated Assets <input type="checkbox"/> \$0 to \$50,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$50,001 to \$100,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001 to \$500,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001 to \$1 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001 to \$10 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001 to \$50 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001 to \$100 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001 to \$500 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001 to \$1 billion <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$1 billion		
Estimated Liabilities <input type="checkbox"/> \$0 to \$50,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001 to \$100,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$100,001 to \$500,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001 to \$1 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001 to \$10 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001 to \$50 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001 to \$100 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001 to \$500 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001 to \$1 billion <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$1 billion		

(This page must be completed and filed in every case)

All Prior Bankruptcy Cases Filed Within Last 8 Years (If more than two, attach additional sheet)

Date Filed:

Date Filed:

Pending Bankruptcy Case Filed by any Spouse, Partner, or Affiliate of this Debtor (If more than one, attach additional sheet)

Date Filed:

Judge:

Exhibit B

(To be completed if debtor is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts.)

I, the attorney for the petitioner named in the foregoing petition, declare that I have informed the petitioner that [he or she] may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each such chapter. I further certify that I delivered to the debtor the notice required by 11 U.S.C. §342(b).

☐ Exhibit A is attached and made a part of this petition.

X /s/ Andrew K. Weiss August 18, 2015
Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) (Date)
Andrew K. Weiss

Exhibit C

Does the debtor own or have possession of any property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable harm to public health or safety?

☐ Yes, and Exhibit C is attached and made a part of this petition.

No.

Exhibit D

(To be completed by every individual debtor. If a joint petition is filed, each spouse must complete and attach a separate Exhibit D.)

☐ Exhibit D completed and signed by the debtor is attached and made a part of this petition.

If this is a joint petition:

☐ Exhibit D also completed and signed by the joint debtor is attached and made a part of this petition.

Information Regarding the Debtor - Venue

(Check any applicable box)

☒ Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principal place of business, or principal assets in this District for 180 days immediately preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any other District.

☐ There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partner, or partnership pending in this District.

☐ Debtor is a debtor in a foreign proceeding and has its principal place of business or principal assets in the United States in this District, or has no principal place of business or assets in the United States but is a defendant in an action or proceeding [in a federal or state court] in this District, or the interests of the parties will be served in regard to the relief sought in this District.

Certification by a Debtor Who Resides as a Tenant of Residential Property

(Check all applicable boxes)

☐ Landlord has a judgment against the debtor for possession of debtor's residence. (If box checked, complete the following.)

(Name of landlord that obtained judgment)

(Address of landlord)

☐ Debtor claims that under applicable nonbankruptcy law, there are circumstances under which the debtor would be permitted to cure the entire monetary default that gave rise to the judgment for possession, after the judgment for possession was entered, and

☐ Debtor has included with this petition the deposit with the court of any rent that would become due during the 30-day period after the filing of the petition.

☐ Debtor certifies that he/she has served the Landlord with this certification. (11 U.S.C. § 362(l)).

Voluntary Petition

(This page must be completed and filed in every case)

Name of Debtor(s):
Romero, Emily Michelle

Signatures

Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joint)

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct.
[If petitioner is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts and has chosen to file under chapter 7] I am aware that I may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, understand the relief available under each such chapter, and choose to proceed under chapter 7.
[If no attorney represents me and no bankruptcy petition preparer signs the petition] I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. §342(b).

I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.

X /s/ Emily Michelle Romero
Signature of Debtor Emily Michelle Romero

X _____
Signature of Joint Debtor

Telephone Number (If not represented by attorney)

August 18, 2015
Date

Signature of Attorney*

X /s/ Andrew K. Weiss
Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)

Andrew K. Weiss 6284233
Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s)

Upright Law LLC
Firm Name
79 W. Monroe
5th Floor
Chicago, IL 60603

Address

Email: notices@uprightlaw.com

855-466-3920 Fax: 888-751-4932

Telephone Number

August 18, 2015

Date

*In a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, this signature also constitutes a certification that the attorney has no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules is incorrect.

Signature of Debtor (Corporation/Partnership)

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, and that I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor.

The debtor requests relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.

X _____
Signature of Authorized Individual

Printed Name of Authorized Individual

Title of Authorized Individual

Date

Signature of a Foreign Representative

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, that I am the foreign representative of a debtor in a foreign proceeding, and that I am authorized to file this petition.

(Check only one box.)

☐ I request relief in accordance with chapter 15 of title 11, United States Code. Certified copies of the documents required by 11 U.S.C. §1515 are attached.

☐ Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §1511, I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11 specified in this petition. A certified copy of the order granting recognition of the foreign main proceeding is attached.

X _____
Signature of Foreign Representative

Printed Name of Foreign Representative

Date

Signature of Non-Attorney Bankruptcy Petition Preparer

I declare under penalty of perjury that: (1) I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110; (2) I prepared this document for compensation and have provided the debtor with a copy of this document and the notices and information required under 11 U.S.C. §§ 110(b), 110(h), and 342(b); and, (3) if rules or guidelines have been promulgated pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 110(h) setting a maximum fee for services chargeable by bankruptcy petition preparers, I have given the debtor notice of the maximum amount before preparing any document for filing for a debtor or accepting any fee from the debtor, as required in that section. Official Form 19 is attached.

Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer

Social-Security number (If the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual, state the Social Security number of the officer, principal, responsible person or partner of the bankruptcy petition preparer.)(Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110.)

Address

X _____

Date

Signature of bankruptcy petition preparer or officer, principal, responsible person, or partner whose Social Security number is provided above.

Names and Social-Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or assisted in preparing this document unless the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual:

If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional sheets conforming to the appropriate official form for each person.

A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in fines or imprisonment or both. 11 U.S.C. §110; 18 U.S.C. §156.

B 1D (Official Form 1, Exhibit D) (12/09)

**United States Bankruptcy Court
Northern District of Illinois**

In re Emily Michelle Romero

Debtor(s)

Case No.
Chapter

7

**EXHIBIT D - INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR'S STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE WITH
CREDIT COUNSELING REQUIREMENT**

Warning: You must be able to check truthfully one of the five statements regarding credit counseling listed below. If you cannot do so, you are not eligible to file a bankruptcy case, and the court can dismiss any case you do file. If that happens, you will lose whatever filing fee you paid, and your creditors will be able to resume collection activities against you. If your case is dismissed and you file another bankruptcy case later, you may be required to pay a second filing fee and you may have to take extra steps to stop creditors' collection activities.

Every individual debtor must file this Exhibit D. If a joint petition is filed, each spouse must complete and file a separate Exhibit D. Check one of the five statements below and attach any documents as directed.

☒ 1. Within the 180 days **before the filing of my bankruptcy case**, I received a briefing from a credit counseling agency approved by the United States trustee or bankruptcy administrator that outlined the opportunities for available credit counseling and assisted me in performing a related budget analysis, and I have a certificate from the agency describing the services provided to me. *Attach a copy of the certificate and a copy of any debt repayment plan developed through the agency.*

☐ 2. Within the 180 days **before the filing of my bankruptcy case**, I received a briefing from a credit counseling agency approved by the United States trustee or bankruptcy administrator that outlined the opportunities for available credit counseling and assisted me in performing a related budget analysis, but I do not have a certificate from the agency describing the services provided to me. *You must file a copy of a certificate from the agency describing the services provided to you and a copy of any debt repayment plan developed through the agency no later than 14 days after your bankruptcy case is filed.*

☐ 3. I certify that I requested credit counseling services from an approved agency but was unable to obtain the services during the seven days from the time I made my request, and the following exigent circumstances merit a temporary waiver of the credit counseling requirement so I can file my bankruptcy case now. *[Summarize exigent circumstances here.]* _____

If your certification is satisfactory to the court, you must still obtain the credit counseling briefing within the first 30 days after you file your bankruptcy petition and promptly file a certificate from the agency that provided the counseling, together with a copy of any debt management plan developed through the agency. Failure to fulfill these requirements may result in dismissal of your case. Any extension of the 30-day deadline can be granted only for cause and is limited to a maximum of 15 days. Your case may also be dismissed if the court is not satisfied with your reasons for filing your bankruptcy case without first receiving a credit counseling briefing.

☐ 4. I am not required to receive a credit counseling briefing because of: *[Check the applicable statement.] [Must be accompanied by a motion for determination by the court.]*

☐ Incapacity. (Defined in 11 U.S.C. § 109(h)(4) as impaired by reason of mental illness or mental deficiency so as to be incapable of realizing and making rational decisions with respect to financial responsibilities.);

☐ Disability. (Defined in 11 U.S.C. § 109(h)(4) as physically impaired to the extent of being unable, after reasonable effort, to participate in a credit counseling briefing in person, by telephone, or through the Internet.);

☐ Active military duty in a military combat zone.

☐ 5. The United States trustee or bankruptcy administrator has determined that the credit counseling requirement of 11 U.S.C. § 109(h) does not apply in this district.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the information provided above is true and correct.

Signature of Debtor: /s/ Emily Michelle Romero
Emily Michelle Romero

Date: August 18, 2015

United States Bankruptcy Court
Northern District of Illinois

In re Emily Michelle Romero,
Debtor

Case No. _____

Chapter 7

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULES

Indicate as to each schedule whether that schedule is attached and state the number of pages in each. Report the totals from Schedules A, B, D, E, F, I, and J in the boxes provided. Add the amounts from Schedules A and B to determine the total amount of the debtor's assets. Add the amounts of all claims from Schedules D, E, and F to determine the total amount of the debtor's liabilities. Individual debtors must also complete the "Statistical Summary of Certain Liabilities and Related Data" if they file a case under chapter 7, 11, or 13.

NAME OF SCHEDULE	ATTACHED (YES/NO)	NO. OF SHEETS	ASSETS	LIABILITIES	OTHER
A - Real Property	Yes	1	79,192.00		
B - Personal Property	Yes	3	1,400.00		
C - Property Claimed as Exempt	Yes	1			
D - Creditors Holding Secured Claims	Yes	1		94,949.00	
E - Creditors Holding Unsecured Priority Claims (Total of Claims on Schedule E)	Yes	1		0.00	
F - Creditors Holding Unsecured Nonpriority Claims	Yes	4		16,512.00	
G - Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases	Yes	1			
H - Codebtors	Yes	1			
I - Current Income of Individual Debtor(s)	Yes	2			550.00
J - Current Expenditures of Individual Debtor(s)	Yes	2			740.00
Total Number of Sheets of ALL Schedules		17			
Total Assets			80,592.00		
Total Liabilities				111,461.00	

United States Bankruptcy Court
Northern District of Illinois

In re Emily Michelle Romero,
Debtor

Case No. _____

Chapter 7

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF CERTAIN LIABILITIES AND RELATED DATA (28 U.S.C. § 159)

If you are an individual debtor whose debts are primarily consumer debts, as defined in § 101(8) of the Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. § 101(8)), filing a case under chapter 7, 11 or 13, you must report all information requested below.

☐ Check this box if you are an individual debtor whose debts are NOT primarily consumer debts. You are not required to report any information here.

This information is for statistical purposes only under 28 U.S.C. § 159.

Summarize the following types of liabilities, as reported in the Schedules, and total them.

Type of Liability	Amount
Domestic Support Obligations (from Schedule E)	0.00
Taxes and Certain Other Debts Owed to Governmental Units (from Schedule E)	0.00
Claims for Death or Personal Injury While Debtor Was Intoxicated (from Schedule E) (whether disputed or undisputed)	0.00
Student Loan Obligations (from Schedule F)	4,734.00
Domestic Support, Separation Agreement, and Divorce Decree Obligations Not Reported on Schedule E	0.00
Obligations to Pension or Profit-Sharing, and Other Similar Obligations (from Schedule F)	0.00
TOTAL	4,734.00

State the following:

Average Income (from Schedule I, Line 12)	550.00
Average Expenses (from Schedule J, Line 22)	740.00
Current Monthly Income (from Form 22A-1 Line 11; OR, Form 22B Line 14; OR, Form 22C-1 Line 14)	959.35

State the following:

1. Total from Schedule D, "UNSECURED PORTION, IF ANY" column		15,757.00
2. Total from Schedule E, "AMOUNT ENTITLED TO PRIORITY" column	0.00	
3. Total from Schedule E, "AMOUNT NOT ENTITLED TO PRIORITY, IF ANY" column		0.00
4. Total from Schedule F		16,512.00
5. Total of non-priority unsecured debt (sum of 1, 3, and 4)		32,269.00

In re Emily Michelle Romero

Case No. _____

Debtor

SCHEDULE A - REAL PROPERTY

Except as directed below, list all real property in which the debtor has any legal, equitable, or future interest, including all property owned as a cotenant, community property, or in which the debtor has a life estate. Include any property in which the debtor holds rights and powers exercisable for the debtor's own benefit. If the debtor is married, state whether husband, wife, both, or the marital community own the property by placing an "H," "W," "J," or "C" in the column labeled "Husband, Wife, Joint, or Community." If the debtor holds no interest in real property, write "None" under "Description and Location of Property."

Do not include interests in executory contracts and unexpired leases on this schedule. List them in Schedule G - Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases.

If an entity claims to have a lien or hold a secured interest in any property, state the amount of the secured claim. See Schedule D. If no entity claims to hold a secured interest in the property, write "None" in the column labeled "Amount of Secured Claim." If the debtor is an individual or if a joint petition is filed, state the amount of any exemption claimed in the property only in Schedule C - Property Claimed as Exempt.

Description and Location of Property	Nature of Debtor's Interest in Property	Husband, Wife, Joint, or Community	Current Value of Debtor's Interest in Property, without Deducting any Secured Claim or Exemption	Amount of Secured Claim
Real-Estate Located at 701 Locust St., Sterling IL 61081 Value per Zillow.com	Fee simple	-	79,192.00	94,949.00

Sub-Total > 79,192.00 (Total of this page)

Total > 79,192.00

(Report also on Summary of Schedules)

0 continuation sheets attached to the Schedule of Real Property

In re Emily Michelle Romero

Case No. _____

Debtor

SCHEDULE B - PERSONAL PROPERTY

Except as directed below, list all personal property of the debtor of whatever kind. If the debtor has no property in one or more of the categories, place an "x" in the appropriate position in the column labeled "None." If additional space is needed in any category, attach a separate sheet properly identified with the case name, case number, and the number of the category. If the debtor is married, state whether husband, wife, both, or the marital community own the property by placing an "H," "W," "J," or "C" in the column labeled "Husband, Wife, Joint, or Community." If the debtor is an individual or a joint petition is filed, state the amount of any exemptions claimed only in Schedule C - Property Claimed as Exempt.

Do not list interests in executory contracts and unexpired leases on this schedule. List them in Schedule G - Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases.

If the property is being held for the debtor by someone else, state that person's name and address under "Description and Location of Property." If the property is being held for a minor child, simply state the child's initials and the name and address of the child's parent or guardian, such as "A.B., a minor child, by John Doe, guardian." Do not disclose the child's name. See, 11 U.S.C. § 112 and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(m).

Type of Property	N O N E	Description and Location of Property	Husband, Wife, Joint, or Community	Current Value of Debtor's Interest in Property, without Deducting any Secured Claim or Exemption
1. Cash on hand	X			
2. Checking, savings or other financial accounts, certificates of deposit, or shares in banks, savings and loan, thrift, building and loan, and homestead associations, or credit unions, brokerage houses, or cooperatives.		Checking account at U.S. Bank	-	0.00
		Zero balance		
		Checking account with Select Employees Credit Union	-	200.00
3. Security deposits with public utilities, telephone companies, landlords, and others.	X			
4. Household goods and furnishings, including audio, video, and computer equipment.		Household Goods and Furnishings	-	900.00
5. Books, pictures and other art objects, antiques, stamp, coin, record, tape, compact disc, and other collections or collectibles.	X			
6. Wearing apparel.		Wearing Apparel	-	250.00
7. Furs and jewelry.		Costume Jewelry	-	50.00
8. Firearms and sports, photographic, and other hobby equipment.	X			
9. Interests in insurance policies. Name insurance company of each policy and itemize surrender or refund value of each.	X			
10. Annuities. Itemize and name each issuer.	X			

Sub-Total > 1,400.00
(Total of this page)

2 continuation sheets attached to the Schedule of Personal Property

In re Emily Michelle Romero, Case No. _____
Debtor

SCHEDULE B - PERSONAL PROPERTY
(Continuation Sheet)

Type of Property	NON E	Description and Location of Property	Husband, Wife, Joint, or Community	Current Value of Debtor's Interest in Property, without Deducting any Secured Claim or Exemption
11. Interests in an education IRA as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 530(b)(1) or under a qualified State tuition plan as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 529(b)(1). Give particulars. (File separately the record(s) of any such interest(s). 11 U.S.C. § 521(c).)	X			
12. Interests in IRA, ERISA, Keogh, or other pension or profit sharing plans. Give particulars.	X			
13. Stock and interests in incorporated and unincorporated businesses. Itemize.	X			
14. Interests in partnerships or joint ventures. Itemize.	X			
15. Government and corporate bonds and other negotiable and nonnegotiable instruments.	X			
16. Accounts receivable.	X			
17. Alimony, maintenance, support, and property settlements to which the debtor is or may be entitled. Give particulars.	X			
18. Other liquidated debts owed to debtor including tax refunds. Give particulars.		In tax year 2014, the Debtor received a tax refund of \$1,204.00. The Debtor spent it on daily needs.	-	0.00
19. Equitable or future interests, life estates, and rights or powers exercisable for the benefit of the debtor other than those listed in Schedule A - Real Property.	X			
20. Contingent and noncontingent interests in estate of a decedent, death benefit plan, life insurance policy, or trust.	X			
21. Other contingent and unliquidated claims of every nature, including tax refunds, counterclaims of the debtor, and rights to setoff claims. Give estimated value of each.	X			

Sub-Total > 0.00
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Sheet 1 of 2 continuation sheets attached
to the Schedule of Personal Property

In re Emily Michelle Romero, Debtor Case No. _____

SCHEDULE B - PERSONAL PROPERTY
(Continuation Sheet)

Type of Property	N O N E	Description and Location of Property	Husband, Wife, Joint, or Community	Current Value of Debtor's Interest in Property, without Deducting any Secured Claim or Exemption
22. Patents, copyrights, and other intellectual property. Give particulars.	X			
23. Licenses, franchises, and other general intangibles. Give particulars.	X			
24. Customer lists or other compilations containing personally identifiable information (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(41A)) provided to the debtor by individuals in connection with obtaining a product or service from the debtor primarily for personal, family, or household purposes.	X			
25. Automobiles, trucks, trailers, and other vehicles and accessories.	X			
26. Boats, motors, and accessories.	X			
27. Aircraft and accessories.	X			
28. Office equipment, furnishings, and supplies.	X			
29. Machinery, fixtures, equipment, and supplies used in business.	X			
30. Inventory.	X			
31. Animals.	One cat		-	0.00
32. Crops - growing or harvested. Give particulars.	X			
33. Farming equipment and implements.	X			
34. Farm supplies, chemicals, and feed.	X			
35. Other personal property of any kind not already listed. Itemize.	X			

Sub-Total > 0.00
(Total of this page)
Total > 1,400.00
(Report also on Summary of Schedules)

Sheet 2 of 2 continuation sheets attached to the Schedule of Personal Property

In re Emily Michelle Romero

Debtor

Case No. _____

SCHEDULE C - PROPERTY CLAIMED AS EXEMPT

Debtor claims the exemptions to which debtor is entitled under:

(Check one box)

☐ 11 U.S.C. §522(b)(2)

☒ 11 U.S.C. §522(b)(3)

☐ Check if debtor claims a homestead exemption that exceeds \$155,675. (Amount subject to adjustment on 4/1/16, and every three years thereafter with respect to cases commenced on or after the date of adjustment.)

Description of Property	Specify Law Providing Each Exemption	Value of Claimed Exemption	Current Value of Property Without Deducting Exemption
<u>Checking, Savings, or Other Financial Accounts, Certificates of Deposit</u>			
Checking account with Select Employees Credit Union	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)	200.00	200.00
<u>Household Goods and Furnishings</u>			
Household Goods and Furnishings	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)	900.00	900.00
<u>Wearing Apparel</u>			
Wearing Apparel	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(a)	250.00	250.00
<u>Furs and Jewelry</u>			
Costume Jewelry	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)	50.00	50.00

Total: 1,400.00 1,400.00

0 continuation sheets attached to Schedule of Property Claimed as Exempt

Debtor

In re Emily Michelle Romero

Case No. _____

Debtor

SCHEDULE E - CREDITORS HOLDING UNSECURED PRIORITY CLAIMS

A complete list of claims entitled to priority, listed separately by type of priority, is to be set forth on the sheets provided. Only holders of unsecured claims entitled to priority should be listed in this schedule. In the boxes provided on the attached sheets, state the name, mailing address, including zip code, and last four digits of the account number, if any, of all entities holding priority claims against the debtor or the property of the debtor, as of the date of the filing of the petition. Use a separate continuation sheet for each type of priority and label each with the type of priority.

The complete account number of any account the debtor has with the creditor is useful to the trustee and the creditor and may be provided if the debtor chooses to do so. If a minor child is a creditor, state the child's initials and the name and address of the child's parent or guardian, such as "A.B., a minor child, by John Doe, guardian." Do not disclose the child's name. See, 11 U.S.C. § 112 and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(m).

If any entity other than a spouse in a joint case may be jointly liable on a claim, place an "X" in the column labeled "Codebtor," include the entity on the appropriate schedule of creditors, and complete Schedule H-Codebtors. If a joint petition is filed, state whether the husband, wife, both of them, or the marital community may be liable on each claim by placing an "H," "W," "J," or "C" in the column labeled "Husband, Wife, Joint, or Community." If the claim is contingent, place an "X" in the column labeled "Contingent." If the claim is unliquidated, place an "X" in the column labeled "Unliquidated." If the claim is disputed, place an "X" in the column labeled "Disputed." (You may need to place an "X" in more than one of these three columns.)

Report the total of claims listed on each sheet in the box labeled "Subtotals" on each sheet. Report the total of all claims listed on this Schedule E in the box labeled "Total" on the last sheet of the completed schedule. Report this total also on the Summary of Schedules.

Report the total of amounts entitled to priority listed on each sheet in the box labeled "Subtotals" on each sheet. Report the total of all amounts entitled to priority listed on this Schedule E in the box labeled "Totals" on the last sheet of the completed schedule. Individual debtors with primarily consumer debts report this total also on the Statistical Summary of Certain Liabilities and Related Data.

Report the total of amounts not entitled to priority listed on each sheet in the box labeled "Subtotals" on each sheet. Report the total of all amounts not entitled to priority listed on this Schedule E in the box labeled "Totals" on the last sheet of the completed schedule. Individual debtors with primarily consumer debts report this total also on the Statistical Summary of Certain Liabilities and Related Data.

☒ Check this box if debtor has no creditors holding unsecured priority claims to report on this Schedule E.

TYPES OF PRIORITY CLAIMS (Check the appropriate box(es) below if claims in that category are listed on the attached sheets)

☐ **Domestic support obligations**

Claims for domestic support that are owed to or recoverable by a spouse, former spouse, or child of the debtor, or the parent, legal guardian, or responsible relative of such a child, or a governmental unit to whom such a domestic support claim has been assigned to the extent provided in 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(1).

☐ **Extensions of credit in an involuntary case**

Claims arising in the ordinary course of the debtor's business or financial affairs after the commencement of the case but before the earlier of the appointment of a trustee or the order for relief. 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(3).

☐ **Wages, salaries, and commissions**

Wages, salaries, and commissions, including vacation, severance, and sick leave pay owing to employees and commissions owing to qualifying independent sales representatives up to \$12,475* per person earned within 180 days immediately preceding the filing of the original petition, or the cessation of business, whichever occurred first, to the extent provided in 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(4).

☐ **Contributions to employee benefit plans**

Money owed to employee benefit plans for services rendered within 180 days immediately preceding the filing of the original petition, or the cessation of business, whichever occurred first, to the extent provided in 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(5).

☐ **Certain farmers and fishermen**

Claims of certain farmers and fishermen, up to \$6,150* per farmer or fisherman, against the debtor, as provided in 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(6).

☐ **Deposits by individuals**

Claims of individuals up to \$2,775* for deposits for the purchase, lease, or rental of property or services for personal, family, or household use, that were not delivered or provided. 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(7).

☐ **Taxes and certain other debts owed to governmental units**

Taxes, customs duties, and penalties owing to federal, state, and local governmental units as set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(8).

☐ **Commitments to maintain the capital of an insured depository institution**

Claims based on commitments to the FDIC, RTC, Director of the Office of Thrift Supervision, Comptroller of the Currency, or Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, or their predecessors or successors, to maintain the capital of an insured depository institution. 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(9).

☐ **Claims for death or personal injury while debtor was intoxicated**

Claims for death or personal injury resulting from the operation of a motor vehicle or vessel while the debtor was intoxicated from using alcohol, a drug, or another substance. 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(10).

* Amount subject to adjustment on 4/01/16, and every three years thereafter with respect to cases commenced on or after the date of adjustment.

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Case No. _____

Debtor

SCHEDULE F - CREDITORS HOLDING UNSECURED NONPRIORITY CLAIMS

State the name, mailing address, including zip code, and last four digits of any account number, of all entities holding unsecured claims without priority against the debtor or the property of the debtor, as of the date of filing of the petition. The complete account number of any account the debtor has with the creditor is useful to the trustee and the creditor and may be provided if the debtor chooses to do so. If a minor child is a creditor, state the child's initials and the name and address of the child's parent or guardian, such as "A.B., a minor child, by John Doe, guardian." Do not disclose the child's name. See, 11 U.S.C. § 112 and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(m). Do not include claims listed in Schedules D and E. If all creditors will not fit on this page, use the continuation sheet provided.

If any entity other than a spouse in a joint case may be jointly liable on a claim, place an "X" in the column labeled "Codebtor," include the entity on the appropriate schedule of creditors, and complete Schedule H - Codebtors. If a joint petition is filed, state whether the husband, wife, both of them, or the marital community may be liable on each claim by placing an "H," "W," "J," or "C" in the column labeled "Husband, Wife, Joint, or Community."

If the claim is contingent, place an "X" in the column labeled "Contingent." If the claim is unliquidated, place an "X" in the column labeled "Unliquidated." If the claim is disputed, place an "X" in the column labeled "Disputed." (You may need to place an "X" in more than one of these three columns.)

Report the total of all claims listed on this schedule in the box labeled "Total" on the last sheet of the completed schedule. Report this total also on the Summary of Schedules and, if the debtor is an individual with primarily consumer debts, report this total also on the Statistical Summary of Certain Liabilities and Related Data.

☐ Check this box if debtor has no creditors holding unsecured claims to report on this Schedule F.

CREDITOR'S NAME, MAILING ADDRESS INCLUDING ZIP CODE, AND ACCOUNT NUMBER (See instructions above.)	C O D E B T O R	H U S B A N D W I F E J O I N T C O M M U N I T Y	D A T E C L A I M W A S I N C U R R E D A N D C O N S I D E R A T I O N F O R C L A I M. I F C L A I M I S S U B J E C T T O S E T O F F, S O S T A T E.	C O N T I N G E N T	U N L I Q U I D A T E D	D I S P U T E D	A M O U N T O F C L A I M
Account No. xxxxxxxx3068 Cach Llc/Square Two Financial Attention: Bankruptcy 4340 South Monaco St. 2nd Floor Denver, CO 80237		-	Opened 3/01/15 Collection Attorney Basenew Originations/Household				849.00
Account No. xxxxxxxxxxxx1550 Capital One Attn: Bankruptcy Po Box 30285 Salt Lake City, UT 84130		-	Opened 2/01/09 Last Active 4/22/13 Credit Card				640.00
Account No. xxxxxxxxxxxx9557 Chase Card Po Box 15298 Wilmington, DE 19850		-	Opened 4/01/12 Last Active 6/18/14 Credit Card				672.00
Account No. xxxxx8674 Enhanced Recovery Corp Attention: Client Services 8014 Bayberry Rd Jacksonville, FL 32256		-	Opened 3/01/15 Collection Attorney Dish				68.00
Subtotal (Total of this page)							2,229.00

3 continuation sheets attached

In re Emily Michelle Romero

Case No. _____

Debtor

SCHEDULE F - CREDITORS HOLDING UNSECURED NONPRIORITY CLAIMS
(Continuation Sheet)

CREDITOR'S NAME, MAILING ADDRESS INCLUDING ZIP CODE, AND ACCOUNT NUMBER (See instructions above.)	C O D E B O R R	H U S B A N D, W I F E, J O I N T, O R C O M M U N I T Y	C O N T I N G E N T	U N L I Q U I D A T E D	D I S P U T E D	AMOUNT OF CLAIM
		DATE CLAIM WAS INCURRED AND CONSIDERATION FOR CLAIM. IF CLAIM IS SUBJECT TO SETOFF, SO STATE.				
Account No. xxxxxxx1001 IC System Attn: Bankruptcy 444 Highway 96 East; Po Box 64378 St. Paul, MN 55164	-	Opened 2/01/15 Collection Attorney Comed				352.00
Account No. xxxxxx53ST Michael Mellott 201 E. 3rd St. Sterling, IL 61081	-	2014 Collection for Rrca Acct Mgmt				0.00
Account No. xxxxxxxxxxxx2051 Portfolio Recovery Ass 287 Independence Virginia Beach, VA 23462	-	Opened 3/01/14 Factoring Company Account Ge Capital Retail Bank				2,564.00
Account No. xxxxxx1688 Portfolio Recovery Ass 287 Independence Virginia Beach, VA 23462	-	Opened 4/01/15 Factoring Company Account World Financial Network Bank				1,316.00
Account No. xxxxxxxxxxxx4368 Portfolio Recovery Ass 287 Independence Virginia Beach, VA 23462	-	Opened 12/01/14 Factoring Company Account Comenity Bank				786.00
Sheet no. <u>1</u> of <u>3</u> sheets attached to Schedule of Creditors Holding Unsecured Nonpriority Claims						Subtotal (Total of this page)
						5,018.00

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Debtor

SCHEDULE F - CREDITORS HOLDING UNSECURED NONPRIORITY CLAIMS
(Continuation Sheet)

CREDITOR'S NAME, MAILING ADDRESS INCLUDING ZIP CODE, AND ACCOUNT NUMBER (See instructions above.)	C O D E B O R R	Husband, Wife, Joint, or Community	C O N T I N G E N T	U N L I Q U I D A T E D	D I S P U T E D	AMOUNT OF CLAIM
		DATE CLAIM WAS INCURRED AND CONSIDERATION FOR CLAIM. IF CLAIM IS SUBJECT TO SETOFF, SO STATE.				
Account No. xxxxx13N1		Opened 10/01/14				743.00
Rrca Acct Mgmt 201 E 3rd St Sterling, IL 61081	-	Collection Attorney Cgh Medical Center				
Account No. xxxxx37N1		Opened 3/01/15				729.00
Rrca Acct Mgmt 201 E 3rd St Sterling, IL 61081	-	Collection Attorney Cgh Medical Center				
Account No. xxxx7172		Opened 5/01/15				95.00
Stellar Recovery Inc 4500 Salisbury Rd Ste 10 Jacksonville, FL 32216	-	Collection Attorney Comcast				
Account No. xxxxxxxx6253		Opened 7/01/12 Last Active 5/30/14				2,939.00
US Bank PO Box 1800 Saint Paul, MN 55101	-	Collection				
Account No. xxxxxxxxxxxx9577		Opened 9/01/08 Last Active 5/03/13				2,483.00
Us Dept Of Ed/glelsi 2401 International Madison, WI 53704	-	Educational				
Sheet no. <u>2</u> of <u>3</u> sheets attached to Schedule of Creditors Holding Unsecured Nonpriority Claims						Subtotal (Total of this page)
						6,989.00

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SCHEDULE F - CREDITORS HOLDING UNSECURED NONPRIORITY CLAIMS
(Continuation Sheet)

CREDITOR'S NAME, MAILING ADDRESS INCLUDING ZIP CODE, AND ACCOUNT NUMBER (See instructions above.)	C O D E B O R R	Husband, Wife, Joint, or Community	C O N T I N G E N T	U N L I Q U I D A T E D	D I S P U T E D	AMOUNT OF CLAIM
		H W J C				
Account No. xxxxxxxxxxxx8581		Opened 9/01/14 Last Active 7/31/15				2,251.00
Us Dept Of Ed/glelsi 2401 International Madison, WI 53704	-	Educational				
Account No. xxxxxx62ST		2014				0.00
Ward Murray Pace & Johnson P.C. 202 E 5th St. Sterling, IL 61081	-	Collection for U.S. Bank				
Account No. 6480		2013				25.00
Whiteside County Health Dept. 1300 W. Second St. Rock Falls, IL 61071-1005	-	Medical Bills				
Account No.						
Account No.						
Sheet no. <u>3</u> of <u>3</u> sheets attached to Schedule of Creditors Holding Unsecured Nonpriority Claims						Subtotal (Total of this page)
						2,276.00
						Total (Report on Summary of Schedules)
						16,512.00

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Debtor

Case No. _____

SCHEDULE G - EXECUTORY CONTRACTS AND UNEXPIRED LEASES

Describe all executory contracts of any nature and all unexpired leases of real or personal property. Include any timeshare interests. State nature of debtor's interest in contract, i.e., "Purchaser", "Agent", etc. State whether debtor is the lessor or lessee of a lease. Provide the names and complete mailing addresses of all other parties to each lease or contract described. If a minor child is a party to one of the leases or contracts, state the child's initials and the name and address of the child's parent or guardian, such as "A.B., a minor child, by John Doe, guardian." Do not disclose the child's name. See, 11 U.S.C. §112 and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(m).

☐ Check this box if debtor has no executory contracts or unexpired leases.

Name and Mailing Address, Including Zip Code,
of Other Parties to Lease or Contract

Description of Contract or Lease and Nature of Debtor's Interest.
State whether lease is for nonresidential real property.
State contract number of any government contract.

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Case No. _____

Debtor

SCHEDULE H - CODEBTORS

Provide the information requested concerning any person or entity, other than a spouse in a joint case, that is also liable on any debts listed by debtor in the schedules of creditors. Include all guarantors and co-signers. If the debtor resides or resided in a community property state, commonwealth, or territory (including Alaska, Arizona, California, Idaho, Louisiana, Nevada, New Mexico, Puerto Rico, Texas, Washington, or Wisconsin) within the eight year period immediately preceding the commencement of the case, identify the name of the debtor's spouse and of any former spouse who resides or resided with the debtor in the community property state, commonwealth, or territory. Include all names used by the nondebtor spouse during the eight years immediately preceding the commencement of this case. If a minor child is a codebtor or a creditor, state the child's initials and the name and address of the child's parent or guardian, such as "A.B., a minor child, by John Doe, guardian." Do not disclose the child's name. See, 11 U.S.C. § 112 and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(m).

☐ Check this box if debtor has no codebtors.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CODEBTOR

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1 Emily Michelle Romero

Debtor 2 _____
(Spouse, if filing)

United States Bankruptcy Court for the: NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

Case number _____
(If known)

Check if this is:

- ☐ An amended filing
- ☐ A supplement showing post-petition chapter 13 income as of the following date:

MM / DD / YYYY

Official Form B 6I

Schedule I: Your Income

12/13

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together (Debtor 1 and Debtor 2), both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If you are married and not filing jointly, and your spouse is living with you, include information about your spouse. If you are separated and your spouse is not filing with you, do not include information about your spouse. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known). Answer every question.

Part 1: Describe Employment

1. Fill in your employment information.

If you have more than one job, attach a separate page with information about additional employers.

Include part-time, seasonal, or self-employed work.

Occupation may include student or homemaker, if it applies.

Employment status

Occupation

Employer's name

Employer's address

Debtor 1

- ☒ Employed
- ☐ Not employed

Bar Tender

The Depot Deli

214 Locust St.
Sterling, IL 61081

Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse

- ☐ Employed
- ☐ Not employed

How long employed there? 3 months

Part 2: Give Details About Monthly Income

Estimate monthly income as of the date you file this form. If you have nothing to report for any line, write \$0 in the space. Include your non-filing spouse unless you are separated.

If you or your non-filing spouse have more than one employer, combine the information for all employers for that person on the lines below. If you need more space, attach a separate sheet to this form.

	For Debtor 1	For Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse
2. List monthly gross wages, salary, and commissions (before all payroll deductions). If not paid monthly, calculate what the monthly wage would be.	2. \$ 550.00	\$ N/A
3. Estimate and list monthly overtime pay.	3. +\$ 0.00	+\$ N/A
4. Calculate gross income. Add line 2 + line 3.	4. \$ 550.00	\$ N/A

Debtor 1 Emily Michelle Romero

Case number (if known) _____

		For Debtor 1	For Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse
Copy line 4 here _____	4.	\$ 550.00	\$ N/A
5. List all payroll deductions:			
5a. Tax, Medicare, and Social Security deductions	5a.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
5b. Mandatory contributions for retirement plans	5b.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
5c. Voluntary contributions for retirement plans	5c.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
5d. Required repayments of retirement fund loans	5d.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
5e. Insurance	5e.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
5f. Domestic support obligations	5f.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
5g. Union dues	5g.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
5h. Other deductions. Specify: _____	5h.+	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
6. Add the payroll deductions. Add lines 5a+5b+5c+5d+5e+5f+5g+5h.	6.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
7. Calculate total monthly take-home pay. Subtract line 6 from line 4.	7.	\$ 550.00	\$ N/A
8. List all other income regularly received:			
8a. Net income from rental property and from operating a business, profession, or farm Attach a statement for each property and business showing gross receipts, ordinary and necessary business expenses, and the total monthly net income.	8a.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
8b. Interest and dividends	8b.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
8c. Family support payments that you, a non-filing spouse, or a dependent regularly receive Include alimony, spousal support, child support, maintenance, divorce settlement, and property settlement.	8c.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
8d. Unemployment compensation	8d.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
8e. Social Security	8e.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
8f. Other government assistance that you regularly receive Include cash assistance and the value (if known) of any non-cash assistance that you receive, such as food stamps (benefits under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) or housing subsidies. Specify: _____	8f.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
8g. Pension or retirement income	8g.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
8h. Other monthly income. Specify: _____	8h.+	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
9. Add all other income. Add lines 8a+8b+8c+8d+8e+8f+8g+8h.	9.	\$ 0.00	\$ N/A
10. Calculate monthly income. Add line 7 + line 9. Add the entries in line 10 for Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse.	10.	\$ 550.00	\$ N/A
11. State all other regular contributions to the expenses that you list in Schedule J. Include contributions from an unmarried partner, members of your household, your dependents, your roommates, and other friends or relatives. Do not include any amounts already included in lines 2-10 or amounts that are not available to pay expenses listed in <i>Schedule J</i> . Specify: _____	11.	+\$ 0.00	
12. Add the amount in the last column of line 10 to the amount in line 11. The result is the combined monthly income. Write that amount on the <i>Summary of Schedules</i> and <i>Statistical Summary of Certain Liabilities and Related Data</i> , if it applies	12.	\$ 550.00	
Combined monthly income			
13. Do you expect an increase or decrease within the year after you file this form?			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Explain: _____			

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1 Emily Michelle Romero

Debtor 2 _____
(Spouse, if filing)

United States Bankruptcy Court for the: NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

Case number _____
(If known)

Check if this is:

- ☐ An amended filing
- ☐ A supplement showing post-petition chapter 13 expenses as of the following date:

MM / DD / YYYY

- ☐ A separate filing for Debtor 2 because Debtor 2 maintains a separate household

Official Form B 6J

Schedule J: Your Expenses

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, attach another sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known). Answer every question.

Part 1: Describe Your Household

1. Is this a joint case?

- ☒ No. Go to line 2.
- ☐ Yes. Does Debtor 2 live in a separate household?
- ☐ No
- ☐ Yes. Debtor 2 must file a separate Schedule J.

2. Do you have dependents? ☒ No

Do not list Debtor 1 and Debtor 2.

Do not state the dependents' names.

☐ Yes. Fill out this information for each dependent.....

Dependent's relationship to Debtor 1 or Debtor 2

Dependent's age

Does dependent live with you?

- ☐ No
- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Yes

3. Do your expenses include expenses of people other than yourself and your dependents? ☒ No ☐ Yes

Part 2: Estimate Your Ongoing Monthly Expenses

Estimate your expenses as of your bankruptcy filing date unless you are using this form as a supplement in a Chapter 13 case to report expenses as of a date after the bankruptcy is filed. If this is a supplemental *Schedule J*, check the box at the top of the form and fill in the applicable date.

Include expenses paid for with non-cash government assistance if you know the value of such assistance and have included it on *Schedule I: Your Income* (Official Form 6I.)

Your expenses

4. The rental or home ownership expenses for your residence. Include first mortgage payments and any rent for the ground or lot.

4. \$ 200.00

If not included in line 4:

4a. Real estate taxes

4a. \$ 0.00

4b. Property, homeowner's, or renter's insurance

4b. \$ 0.00

4c. Home maintenance, repair, and upkeep expenses

4c. \$ 0.00

4d. Homeowner's association or condominium dues

4d. \$ 0.00

5. Additional mortgage payments for your residence, such as home equity loans

5. \$ 0.00

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Case number (if known) _____

6. Utilities:

6a. Electricity, heat, natural gas	6a. \$	0.00
6b. Water, sewer, garbage collection	6b. \$	0.00
6c. Telephone, cell phone, Internet, satellite, and cable services	6c. \$	100.00
6d. Other. Specify: _____	6d. \$	0.00

7. Food and housekeeping supplies

7. \$ 300.00

8. Childcare and children's education costs

8. \$ 0.00

9. Clothing, laundry, and dry cleaning

9. \$ 15.00

10. Personal care products and services

10. \$ 10.00

11. Medical and dental expenses

11. \$ 20.00

12. Transportation. Include gas, maintenance, bus or train fare.

Do not include car payments.

12. \$ 30.00

13. Entertainment, clubs, recreation, newspapers, magazines, and books

13. \$ 25.00

14. Charitable contributions and religious donations

14. \$ 0.00

15. Insurance.

Do not include insurance deducted from your pay or included in lines 4 or 20.

15a. Life insurance 15a. \$ 0.00

15b. Health insurance 15b. \$ 0.00

15c. Vehicle insurance 15c. \$ 0.00

15d. Other insurance. Specify: _____ 15d. \$ 0.00

16. Taxes. Do not include taxes deducted from your pay or included in lines 4 or 20.

Specify: _____

16. \$ 0.00

17. Installment or lease payments:

17a. Car payments for Vehicle 1 17a. \$ 0.00

17b. Car payments for Vehicle 2 17b. \$ 0.00

17c. Other. Specify: _____ 17c. \$ 0.00

17d. Other. Specify: _____ 17d. \$ 0.00

18. Your payments of alimony, maintenance, and support that you did not report as deducted from your pay on line 5, Schedule I, Your Income (Official Form 6I).

18. \$ 0.00

19. Other payments you make to support others who do not live with you.

\$ 0.00

Specify: _____

19.

20. Other real property expenses not included in lines 4 or 5 of this form or on Schedule I: Your Income.

20a. Mortgages on other property 20a. \$ 0.00

20b. Real estate taxes 20b. \$ 0.00

20c. Property, homeowner's, or renter's insurance 20c. \$ 0.00

20d. Maintenance, repair, and upkeep expenses 20d. \$ 0.00

20e. Homeowner's association or condominium dues 20e. \$ 0.00

21. Other: Specify: Pet Expenses

21. +\$ 40.00

22. Your monthly expenses. Add lines 4 through 21.

The result is your monthly expenses.

22. \$ 740.00

23. Calculate your monthly net income.

23a. Copy line 12 (your combined monthly income) from Schedule I.

23a. \$ 550.00

23b. Copy your monthly expenses from line 22 above.

23b. -\$ 740.00

23c. Subtract your monthly expenses from your monthly income.

The result is your *monthly net income*.

23c. \$ -190.00

24. Do you expect an increase or decrease in your expenses within the year after you file this form?

For example, do you expect to finish paying for your car loan within the year or do you expect your mortgage payment to increase or decrease because of a modification to the terms of your mortgage?

☐ No.

☒ Yes.

Explain:

The Debtor's family is assisting her with her daily expenses.

B6 Declaration (Official Form 6 - Declaration). (12/07)

United States Bankruptcy Court
Northern District of Illinois

In re Emily Michelle Romero

Debtor(s)

Case No.
Chapter

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DECLARATION CONCERNING DEBTOR'S SCHEDULES

DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY BY INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR

I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing summary and schedules, consisting of 19 sheets, and that they are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Date August 18, 2015

Signature /s/ Emily Michelle Romero
Emily Michelle Romero
Debtor

Penalty for making a false statement or concealing property: Fine of up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years or both.
18 U.S.C. §§ 152 and 3571.

United States Bankruptcy Court
Northern District of Illinois

In re Emily Michelle Romero

Debtor(s)

Case No.

Chapter

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

This statement is to be completed by every debtor. Spouses filing a joint petition may file a single statement on which the information for both spouses is combined. If the case is filed under chapter 12 or chapter 13, a married debtor must furnish information for both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed. An individual debtor engaged in business as a sole proprietor, partner, family farmer, or self-employed professional, should provide the information requested on this statement concerning all such activities as well as the individual's personal affairs. To indicate payments, transfers and the like to minor children, state the child's initials and the name and address of the child's parent or guardian, such as "A.B., a minor child, by John Doe, guardian." Do not disclose the child's name. See, 11 U.S.C. § 112; Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(m).

Questions 1 - 18 are to be completed by all debtors. Debtors that are or have been in business, as defined below, also must complete Questions 19 - 25. **If the answer to an applicable question is "None," mark the box labeled "None."** If additional space is needed for the answer to any question, use and attach a separate sheet properly identified with the case name, case number (if known), and the number of the question.

DEFINITIONS

"In business." A debtor is "in business" for the purpose of this form if the debtor is a corporation or partnership. An individual debtor is "in business" for the purpose of this form if the debtor is or has been, within six years immediately preceding the filing of this bankruptcy case, any of the following: an officer, director, managing executive, or owner of 5 percent or more of the voting or equity securities of a corporation; a partner, other than a limited partner, of a partnership; a sole proprietor or self-employed full-time or part-time. An individual debtor also may be "in business" for the purpose of this form if the debtor engages in a trade, business, or other activity, other than as an employee, to supplement income from the debtor's primary employment.

"Insider." The term "insider" includes but is not limited to: relatives of the debtor; general partners of the debtor and their relatives; corporations of which the debtor is an officer, director, or person in control; officers, directors, and any persons in control of a corporate debtor and their relatives; affiliates of the debtor and insiders of such affiliates; and any managing agent of the debtor. 11 U.S.C. § 101(2), (31).

1. Income from employment or operation of business

None

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State the gross amount of income the debtor has received from employment, trade, or profession, or from operation of the debtor's business, including part-time activities either as an employee or in independent trade or business, from the beginning of this calendar year to the date this case was commenced. State also the gross amounts received during the **two years** immediately preceding this calendar year. (A debtor that maintains, or has maintained, financial records on the basis of a fiscal rather than a calendar year may report fiscal year income. Identify the beginning and ending dates of the debtor's fiscal year.) If a joint petition is filed, state income for each spouse separately. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must state income of both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

AMOUNT	SOURCE
\$7,841.71	2015 YTD: Employment Income
\$15,573.00	2014: Employment Income
\$24,065.00	2013: Employment Income

2. Income other than from employment or operation of business

None

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State the amount of income received by the debtor other than from employment, trade, profession, or operation of the debtor's business during the **two years** immediately preceding the commencement of this case. Give particulars. If a joint petition is filed, state income for each spouse separately. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must state income for each spouse whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

AMOUNT	SOURCE
\$3,219.00	2014: Pensions and annuities

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3. Payments to creditors

None

Complete a. or b., as appropriate, and c.

a. *Individual or joint debtor(s) with primarily consumer debts:* List all payments on loans, installment purchases of goods or services, and other debts to any creditor made within **90 days** immediately preceding the commencement of this case unless the aggregate value of all property that constitutes or is affected by such transfer is less than \$600. Indicate with an asterisk (*) any payments that were made to a creditor on account of a domestic support obligation or as part of an alternative repayment schedule under a plan by an approved nonprofit budgeting and credit counseling agency. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include payments by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR	DATES OF PAYMENTS	AMOUNT PAID	AMOUNT STILL OWING
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None

b. *Debtor whose debts are not primarily consumer debts:* List each payment or other transfer to any creditor made within **90 days** immediately preceding the commencement of the case unless the aggregate value of all property that constitutes or is affected by such transfer is less than \$6,225*. If the debtor is an individual, indicate with an asterisk (*) any payments that were made to a creditor on account of a domestic support obligation or as part of an alternative repayment schedule under a plan by an approved nonprofit budgeting and credit counseling agency. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include payments and other transfers by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR	DATES OF PAYMENTS/ TRANSFERS	AMOUNT PAID OR VALUE OF TRANSFERS	AMOUNT STILL OWING
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None

c. *All debtors:* List all payments made within **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case to or for the benefit of creditors who are or were insiders. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include payments by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR AND RELATIONSHIP TO DEBTOR	DATE OF PAYMENT	AMOUNT PAID	AMOUNT STILL OWING
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4. Suits and administrative proceedings, executions, garnishments and attachments

None

a. List all suits and administrative proceedings to which the debtor is or was a party within **one year** immediately preceding the filing of this bankruptcy case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

CAPTION OF SUIT AND CASE NUMBER	NATURE OF PROCEEDING	COURT OR AGENCY AND LOCATION	STATUS OR DISPOSITION
U.S. Bank v. Emily Romero, et. al. Case #: 2015CH62ST	Foreclosure	Whiteside County	Pending

Rrca Accounts Management v. Emily Romero	Civil	Whiteside County	Pending
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None

b. Describe all property that has been attached, garnished or seized under any legal or equitable process within **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning property of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON FOR WHOSE BENEFIT PROPERTY WAS SEIZED	DATE OF SEIZURE	DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY
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* Amount subject to adjustment on 4/01/16, and every three years thereafter with respect to cases commenced on or after the date of adjustment.

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5. Repossessions, foreclosures and returns

- None ☒ List all property that has been repossessed by a creditor, sold at a foreclosure sale, transferred through a deed in lieu of foreclosure or returned to the seller, within **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning property of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR OR SELLER	DATE OF REPOSSESSION, FORECLOSURE SALE, TRANSFER OR RETURN	DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY
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6. Assignments and receiverships

- None ☒ a. Describe any assignment of property for the benefit of creditors made within **120 days** immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include any assignment by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF ASSIGNEE	DATE OF ASSIGNMENT	TERMS OF ASSIGNMENT OR SETTLEMENT
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- None ☒ b. List all property which has been in the hands of a custodian, receiver, or court-appointed official within **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning property of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CUSTODIAN	NAME AND LOCATION OF COURT CASE TITLE & NUMBER	DATE OF ORDER	DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY
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7. Gifts

- None ☒ List all gifts or charitable contributions made within **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case except ordinary and usual gifts to family members aggregating less than \$200 in value per individual family member and charitable contributions aggregating less than \$100 per recipient. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include gifts or contributions by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON OR ORGANIZATION	RELATIONSHIP TO DEBTOR, IF ANY	DATE OF GIFT	DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF GIFT
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8. Losses

- None ☒ List all losses from fire, theft, other casualty or gambling within **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case **or since the commencement of this case**. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include losses by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY	DESCRIPTION OF CIRCUMSTANCES AND, IF LOSS WAS COVERED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY INSURANCE, GIVE PARTICULARS	DATE OF LOSS
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9. Payments related to debt counseling or bankruptcy

- None ☐ List all payments made or property transferred by or on behalf of the debtor to any persons, including attorneys, for consultation concerning debt consolidation, relief under the bankruptcy law or preparation of the petition in bankruptcy within **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PAYEE	DATE OF PAYMENT, NAME OF PAYER IF OTHER THAN DEBTOR	AMOUNT OF MONEY OR DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY
UpRight Law 79 W. Washington 5th Floor Chicago, IL 60603	2015	1,350.00 for Attorney Fees \$335 for Filing fee

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NAME AND ADDRESS OF PAYEE	DATE OF PAYMENT, NAME OF PAYER IF OTHER THAN DEBTOR	AMOUNT OF MONEY OR DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY
Consumer Education Services, Inc. 3700 Barrett Drive Raleigh, NC 27609	2015	\$59.00 Credit Counseling

10. Other transfers

None ☐ a. List all other property, other than property transferred in the ordinary course of the business or financial affairs of the debtor, transferred either absolutely or as security within **two years** immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include transfers by either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF TRANSFEREE, RELATIONSHIP TO DEBTOR	DATE	DESCRIBE PROPERTY TRANSFERRED AND VALUE RECEIVED
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None ☐ b. List all property transferred by the debtor within **ten years** immediately preceding the commencement of this case to a self-settled trust or similar device of which the debtor is a beneficiary.

NAME OF TRUST OR OTHER DEVICE	DATE(S) OF TRANSFER(S)	AMOUNT OF MONEY OR DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY OR DEBTOR'S INTEREST IN PROPERTY
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11. Closed financial accounts

None ☐ List all financial accounts and instruments held in the name of the debtor or for the benefit of the debtor which were closed, sold, or otherwise transferred within **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case. Include checking, savings, or other financial accounts, certificates of deposit, or other instruments; shares and share accounts held in banks, credit unions, pension funds, cooperatives, associations, brokerage houses and other financial institutions. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning accounts or instruments held by or for either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF ACCOUNT, LAST FOUR DIGITS OF ACCOUNT NUMBER, AND AMOUNT OF FINAL BALANCE	AMOUNT AND DATE OF SALE OR CLOSING
U.S. Bank 305 4th Ave Sterling, IL 61081	Checking account with a negative balance	Nov. 2014
U.S. Bank 305 4th Ave Sterling, IL 61081	Savings account with a zero balance	Nov. 2014
OneAmerica One American Squire P.O. Box 368 Indianapolis, IN 46020-0368	Life insurance policy with a final balance of \$3,219.39. The Debtor spend the after tax proceeds on daily needs.	Nov. 2014

12. Safe deposit boxes

None ☐ List each safe deposit or other box or depository in which the debtor has or had securities, cash, or other valuables within **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include boxes or depositories of either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF BANK OR OTHER DEPOSITORY	NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF THOSE WITH ACCESS TO BOX OR DEPOSITORY	DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS	DATE OF TRANSFER OR SURRENDER, IF ANY
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13. Setoffs

None ☒ List all setoffs made by any creditor, including a bank, against a debt or deposit of the debtor within **90 days** preceding the commencement of this case. (Married debtors filing under chapter 12 or chapter 13 must include information concerning either or both spouses whether or not a joint petition is filed, unless the spouses are separated and a joint petition is not filed.)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR	DATE OF SETOFF	AMOUNT OF SETOFF
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14. Property held for another person

None ☒ List all property owned by another person that the debtor holds or controls.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER	DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY	LOCATION OF PROPERTY
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15. Prior address of debtor

None ☐ If the debtor has moved within **three years** immediately preceding the commencement of this case, list all premises which the debtor occupied during that period and vacated prior to the commencement of this case. If a joint petition is filed, report also any separate address of either spouse.

ADDRESS	NAME USED	DATES OF OCCUPANCY
701 Locust St., Sterling IL 61081	Same	9/2012 - 11/2014

16. Spouses and Former Spouses

None ☒ If the debtor resides or resided in a community property state, commonwealth, or territory (including Alaska, Arizona, California, Idaho, Louisiana, Nevada, New Mexico, Puerto Rico, Texas, Washington, or Wisconsin) within **eight years** immediately preceding the commencement of the case, identify the name of the debtor's spouse and of any former spouse who resides or resided with the debtor in the community property state.

NAME

17. Environmental Information.

For the purpose of this question, the following definitions apply:

"Environmental Law" means any federal, state, or local statute or regulation regulating pollution, contamination, releases of hazardous or toxic substances, wastes or material into the air, land, soil, surface water, groundwater, or other medium, including, but not limited to, statutes or regulations regulating the cleanup of these substances, wastes, or material.

"Site" means any location, facility, or property as defined under any Environmental Law, whether or not presently or formerly owned or operated by the debtor, including, but not limited to, disposal sites.

"Hazardous Material" means anything defined as a hazardous waste, hazardous substance, toxic substance, hazardous material, pollutant, or contaminant or similar term under an Environmental Law

None ☒ a. List the name and address of every site for which the debtor has received notice in writing by a governmental unit that it may be liable or potentially liable under or in violation of an Environmental Law. Indicate the governmental unit, the date of the notice, and, if known, the Environmental Law:

SITE NAME AND ADDRESS	NAME AND ADDRESS OF GOVERNMENTAL UNIT	DATE OF NOTICE	ENVIRONMENTAL LAW
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None ☒ b. List the name and address of every site for which the debtor provided notice to a governmental unit of a release of Hazardous Material. Indicate the governmental unit to which the notice was sent and the date of the notice.

SITE NAME AND ADDRESS	NAME AND ADDRESS OF GOVERNMENTAL UNIT	DATE OF NOTICE	ENVIRONMENTAL LAW
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None ☒ c. List all judicial or administrative proceedings, including settlements or orders, under any Environmental Law with respect to which the debtor is or was a party. Indicate the name and address of the governmental unit that is or was a party to the proceeding, and the docket number.

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NAME AND ADDRESS OF
GOVERNMENTAL UNIT

DOCKET NUMBER

STATUS OR DISPOSITION

18 . Nature, location and name of business

None

☐ a. *If the debtor is an individual*, list the names, addresses, taxpayer identification numbers, nature of the businesses, and beginning and ending dates of all businesses in which the debtor was an officer, director, partner, or managing executive of a corporation, partner in a partnership, sole proprietor, or was self-employed in a trade, profession, or other activity either full- or part-time within **six years** immediately preceding the commencement of this case, or in which the debtor owned 5 percent or more of the voting or equity securities within **six years** immediately preceding the commencement of this case.

If the debtor is a partnership, list the names, addresses, taxpayer identification numbers, nature of the businesses, and beginning and ending dates of all businesses in which the debtor was a partner or owned 5 percent or more of the voting or equity securities, within **six years** immediately preceding the commencement of this case.

If the debtor is a corporation, list the names, addresses, taxpayer identification numbers, nature of the businesses, and beginning and ending dates of all businesses in which the debtor was a partner or owned 5 percent or more of the voting or equity securities within **six years** immediately preceding the commencement of this case.

NAME	LAST FOUR DIGITS OF SOCIAL-SECURITY OR OTHER INDIVIDUAL TAXPAYER-I.D. NO. (ITIN)/ COMPLETE EIN	ADDRESS	NATURE OF BUSINESS	BEGINNING AND ENDING DATES
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None

☐ b. Identify any business listed in response to subdivision a., above, that is "single asset real estate" as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101.

NAME	ADDRESS
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The following questions are to be completed by every debtor that is a corporation or partnership and by any individual debtor who is or has been, within **six years** immediately preceding the commencement of this case, any of the following: an officer, director, managing executive, or owner of more than 5 percent of the voting or equity securities of a corporation; a partner, other than a limited partner, of a partnership, a sole proprietor, or self-employed in a trade, profession, or other activity, either full- or part-time.

*(An individual or joint debtor should complete this portion of the statement **only** if the debtor is or has been in business, as defined above, within six years immediately preceding the commencement of this case. A debtor who has not been in business within those six years should go directly to the signature page.)*

19. Books, records and financial statements

None

☐ a. List all bookkeepers and accountants who within **two years** immediately preceding the filing of this bankruptcy case kept or supervised the keeping of books of account and records of the debtor.

NAME AND ADDRESS	DATES SERVICES RENDERED
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None

☐ b. List all firms or individuals who within the **two years** immediately preceding the filing of this bankruptcy case have audited the books of account and records, or prepared a financial statement of the debtor.

NAME	ADDRESS	DATES SERVICES RENDERED
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None

☐ c. List all firms or individuals who at the time of the commencement of this case were in possession of the books of account and records of the debtor. If any of the books of account and records are not available, explain.

NAME	ADDRESS
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None

☐ d. List all financial institutions, creditors and other parties, including mercantile and trade agencies, to whom a financial statement was issued by the debtor within **two years** immediately preceding the commencement of this case.

NAME AND ADDRESS	DATE ISSUED
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20. Inventories

- None ☐ a. List the dates of the last two inventories taken of your property, the name of the person who supervised the taking of each inventory, and the dollar amount and basis of each inventory.

DATE OF INVENTORY	INVENTORY SUPERVISOR	DOLLAR AMOUNT OF INVENTORY (Specify cost, market or other basis)
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- None ☐ b. List the name and address of the person having possession of the records of each of the inventories reported in a., above.

DATE OF INVENTORY	NAME AND ADDRESSES OF CUSTODIAN OF INVENTORY RECORDS
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21. Current Partners, Officers, Directors and Shareholders

- None ☐ a. If the debtor is a partnership, list the nature and percentage of partnership interest of each member of the partnership.

NAME AND ADDRESS	NATURE OF INTEREST	PERCENTAGE OF INTEREST
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- None ☐ b. If the debtor is a corporation, list all officers and directors of the corporation, and each stockholder who directly or indirectly owns, controls, or holds 5 percent or more of the voting or equity securities of the corporation.

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE	NATURE AND PERCENTAGE OF STOCK OWNERSHIP
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22. Former partners, officers, directors and shareholders

- None ☐ a. If the debtor is a partnership, list each member who withdrew from the partnership within **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case.

NAME	ADDRESS	DATE OF WITHDRAWAL
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- None ☐ b. If the debtor is a corporation, list all officers, or directors whose relationship with the corporation terminated within **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case.

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE	DATE OF TERMINATION
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23. Withdrawals from a partnership or distributions by a corporation

- None ☐ If the debtor is a partnership or corporation, list all withdrawals or distributions credited or given to an insider, including compensation in any form, bonuses, loans, stock redemptions, options exercised and any other perquisite during **one year** immediately preceding the commencement of this case.

NAME & ADDRESS OF RECIPIENT, RELATIONSHIP TO DEBTOR	DATE AND PURPOSE OF WITHDRAWAL	AMOUNT OF MONEY OR DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF PROPERTY
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24. Tax Consolidation Group.

- None ☐ If the debtor is a corporation, list the name and federal taxpayer identification number of the parent corporation of any consolidated group for tax purposes of which the debtor has been a member at any time within **six years** immediately preceding the commencement of the case.

NAME OF PARENT CORPORATION	TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (EIN)
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25. Pension Funds.

None ☐ If the debtor is not an individual, list the name and federal taxpayer-identification number of any pension fund to which the debtor, as an employer, has been responsible for contributing at any time within **six years** immediately preceding the commencement of the case.

NAME OF PENSION FUND

TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (EIN)

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DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY BY INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR

I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the answers contained in the foregoing statement of financial affairs and any attachments thereto and that they are true and correct.

Date August 18, 2015

Signature /s/ Emily Michelle Romero
Emily Michelle Romero
Debtor

Penalty for making a false statement: Fine of up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152 and 3571

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United States Bankruptcy Court
Northern District of Illinois

In re Emily Michelle Romero

Debtor(s)

Case No.

Chapter

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CHAPTER 7 INDIVIDUAL DEBTOR'S STATEMENT OF INTENTION

PART A - Debts secured by property of the estate. (Part A must be fully completed for **EACH** debt which is secured by property of the estate. Attach additional pages if necessary.)

Property No. 1	
Creditor's Name: Rock Island Growth Corp.	Describe Property Securing Debt: Real-Estate Located at 701 Locust St., Sterling IL 61081 Value per Zillow.com
Property will be (check one): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Surrendered <input type="checkbox"/> Retained	
If retaining the property, I intend to (check at least one): <input type="checkbox"/> Redeem the property <input type="checkbox"/> Reaffirm the debt <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Explain _____ (for example, avoid lien using 11 U.S.C. § 522(f)).	
Property is (check one): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Claimed as Exempt <input type="checkbox"/> Not claimed as exempt	

Property No. 2	
Creditor's Name: Us Bank Home Mortgage	Describe Property Securing Debt: Real-Estate Located at 701 Locust St., Sterling IL 61081 Value per Zillow.com
Property will be (check one): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Surrendered <input type="checkbox"/> Retained	
If retaining the property, I intend to (check at least one): <input type="checkbox"/> Redeem the property <input type="checkbox"/> Reaffirm the debt <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Explain _____ (for example, avoid lien using 11 U.S.C. § 522(f)).	
Property is (check one): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Claimed as Exempt <input type="checkbox"/> Not claimed as exempt	

PART B - Personal property subject to unexpired leases. (All three columns of Part B must be completed for each unexpired lease. Attach additional pages if necessary.)

Property No. 1		
Lessor's Name: -NONE-	Describe Leased Property:	Lease will be Assumed pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 365(p)(2): <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO

I declare under penalty of perjury that the above indicates my intention as to any property of my estate securing a debt and/or personal property subject to an unexpired lease.

Date August 18, 2015

Signature /s/ Emily Michelle Romero
Emily Michelle Romero
Debtor

United States Bankruptcy Court
Northern District of Illinois

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DISCLOSURE OF COMPENSATION OF ATTORNEY FOR DEBTOR(S)

1. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 329(a) and Bankruptcy Rule 2016(b), I certify that I am the attorney for the above-named debtor and that compensation paid to me within one year before the filing of the petition in bankruptcy, or agreed to be paid to me, for services rendered or to be rendered on behalf of the debtor(s) in contemplation of or in connection with the bankruptcy case is as follows:

For legal services, I have agreed to accept	\$	<u>1,350.00</u>
Prior to the filing of this statement I have received	\$	<u>1,350.00</u>
Balance Due	\$	<u>0.00</u>
2. \$ 335.00 of the filing fee has been paid.
3. The source of the compensation paid to me was:
☒ Debtor ☐ Other (specify):
4. The source of compensation to be paid to me is:
☒ Debtor ☐ Other (specify):
5. ☒ I have not agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation with any other person unless they are members and associates of my law firm.
☐ I have agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation with a person or persons who are not members or associates of my law firm. A copy of the agreement, together with a list of the names of the people sharing in the compensation is attached.
6. In return for the above-disclosed fee, I have agreed to render legal service for all aspects of the bankruptcy case, including:
 - a. Analysis of the debtor's financial situation, and rendering advice to the debtor in determining whether to file a petition in bankruptcy;
 - b. Preparation and filing of any petition, schedules, statement of affairs and plan which may be required;
 - c. Representation of the debtor at the meeting of creditors and confirmation hearing, and any adjourned hearings thereof;
 - d. [Other provisions as needed]
Negotiations with secured creditors to reduce to market value; exemption planning; preparation and filing of reaffirmation agreements and applications as needed; preparation and filing of motions pursuant to 11 USC 522(f)(2)(A) for avoidance of liens on household goods.
7. By agreement with the debtor(s), the above-disclosed fee does not include the following service:
Additional or Non-Base Legal Services POST-PETITION. Legal services which are beyond those contemplated in the Base Retainer will be provided by Attorney POST PETITION at an additional fee, including but not limited to representing Client in: (a) Discharge proceedings, including those related to student loans, taxes or undue hardships; (b) motions for relief from, or continuation, defense or enforcement of the Automatic Stay ; (c) motions to redeem personal property; (d) rule 2004 examinations; (e) motions to avoid liens/judgments(\$500.00); (f) contested matters or adversary proceedings; (g) contested matters regarding Client's claim of exempt property ; (h) filing any amendments to the schedules; (i) motions to continue the 341 meeting of creditors and/or appearing for a continued 341 hearing; (j) motions or adversary complaints to abandon/refinance/sell/purchase property; (k) assisting in carrying out the Debtor's Statement of Intentions; (l) monitoring an "asset case"; (m) re-opening a bankruptcy case to submit post-filing proof of pre-discharge counseling; (n) issues that arise that are not specifically listed in the Retainer; (o) garnishment recovery; (p) reaffirmation agreement negotiation and review, where permissible.

In re Emily Michelle Romero

Debtor(s)

Case No. _____

DISCLOSURE OF COMPENSATION OF ATTORNEY FOR DEBTOR(S)
(Continuation Sheet)

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the foregoing is a complete statement of any agreement or arrangement for payment to me for representation of the debtor(s) in this bankruptcy proceeding.

Dated: August 18, 2015

/s/ Andrew K. Weiss

Andrew K. Weiss

Upright Law LLC

79 W. Monroe

5th Floor

Chicago, IL 60603

855-466-3920 Fax: 888-751-4932

notices@uprightlaw.com

UpRight Law

ATTORNEY CLIENT BASE RETAINER AGREEMENT FOR CHAPTER 7 BANKRUPTCY RELATED SERVICES

This Agreement is executed between UpRight Law LLC (as an Illinois Limited Liability Company) and the undersigned ("Client" or "Debtor"), collectively the "Parties". This agreement contemplates bankruptcy related services ("Bankruptcy Services" or "Services") ONLY and no other services. Firm is not retained to represent Client in any other legal proceedings. Firm will NOT take any action outside of Services described in this Base Retainer Agreement ("Agreement"). Client acknowledges that no creditor actions including letters, utility shut-off's, garnishments, repossessions, taxing authority's actions, or foreclosure sales will be stopped until the petition is filed. Client is responsible for informing Firm of any critical dates including foreclosure sale dates.

1. Type of Bankruptcy Representation and Venue. Client retains Firm, (and not any specific attorney/staff member) to represent Client for Chapter 7 Bankruptcy Services. This Agreement is subject to Client residing in Client's current county of residence for the duration of the Services. If Client determines at a later date that Client desires to file or convert to a Chapter 13, the parties shall execute a new retainer agreement. This Agreement does not include representation in any objection to discharge, audit, adversary proceeding, or any contested matter. Firm will require an upfront retainer if Firm agrees to represent client in any such other matter.

2. Type of Retainer Fee ("Retainer" or "Fee"). Client retains Firm under a General Retainer known as a "FLAT FEE" RETAINER" whereby Firm agrees to provide Services for a fixed amount. Firm is retained on a flat fee basis and not on an hourly basis unless otherwise indicated in this Agreement, and is therefore NOT charging its usual hourly rates of \$395.00 per hour for attorney time and \$125.00 for paraprofessional time. Client understands that before Client verbally agreed to retain Firm, Firm provided legal services to Client through the Financial Empowerment Session (FES), and that as soon as Client signs this written retainer agreement with Firm, Firm will re-review all intake documents and Client information, set up payment plans in Firm's case management system, and perform other administrative tasks associated with opening Client's file. If Client terminates Firm's services, Firm will perform legal and administrative services associated with closing Client's matter. Client understands that the time associated with opening and closing Client's matter will amount to no less than 2 hours of time. As a result, if Client terminates Firm at any time before conclusion of this representation, Firm will have earned fees in this matter. Client agrees that Client owes fees for any pre-termination services and that the value of the services will be computed by estimate of lawyer and paraprofessional time that has been expended, except that if Client terminates Firm's services within 24 hours of a verbal retention, no fees will be charged to Client and any fees paid by Client before termination will be refunded; if Client terminates the Firm more than 24 hours but less than 72 hours after verbal retention, Firm will charge client a \$100 processing fee and will refund 75% of any fees paid by Client as of the time of termination; or if Client terminates Firm more than 72 hours but less than one week after verbal retention, Firm will charge client a \$100 processing fee and will refund 50% of any fees paid by Client as of the time of termination, all subject to the Client's right to request a refund calculated by estimates of time expended by Firm in regard to Client's case. The refund policy also applies in the event of a termination of this Agreement by Firm. Firm may terminate at will, but ordinarily does not terminate unless Firm believes that Client has acted abusively toward Firm staff, failed to cooperate with Firm in completing Client's case, has lied to Firm, or involves the commission of a crime. Because this is a flat fee representation, Client expressly waives any rights to any accounting or monthly billing of time spent on this matter. Firm may not keep records of time spent on this matter. Time will be estimated and hourly rates will be used in the event of any fee dispute. The Fee is earned when paid and immediately becomes property of the Firm. Fees will be placed into Firm's general expense/operating account and -will NOT be placed into any Firm IOLTA client trust fund account, or any other type of Trust or Escrow account unless required by the rules of the jurisdiction in which Client's matter will be filed.. The Retainer is paid by Client to the Firm in order to ensure Firm's commitment of availability for a time period, representation for Services, assumption of Professional Responsibility, and consultation. The amount of the Retainer is based upon the information provided by Client at the consultation and in the information intake sheet and may be adjusted upward by several factors including (i) required services beyond the Bankruptcy Services defined herein, (ii) undisclosed assets, income, debts, transfers and preferences, (iii) failure to pay all the fees and costs within the prescribed time; (iv) creditors exceeding 25 in number, or; (v) additional unsecured debt 20% in excess of amounts indicated by Client at the consultation charged at two and one half (2.5%) of the additional unsecured debt. The Retainer is based on the following assumptions: (a) the Client has provided the Firm with complete and accurate information and fully disclosed all financial information to Firm; (b) the Client's circumstances, particularly the Client's current monthly income does not substantially change prior to the filing of the petition; (c) client provides all requested documents within 15 days of the date of this Agreement. Client acknowledges that Client has 60 days from Client's final payment of Fees to turn in all requested documents or will be charged an additional Fee of \$375.00, and that any amounts on deposit with Firm to pay filing fees or other costs will be applied by Firm toward that \$375 Fee. No Chapter 7 petition will be filed until all Fees and costs are paid in full and Client provides all documents. Firm assumes no responsibility for any changes in laws should client delay the filing by not paying quickly and providing required documentation.

3. Payment Term. The Retainer must be paid in full within 6 months from the date of this Agreement after which the terms of this

agreement terminate with no further notice or, subject to paragraph 5 below, obligations due from either party, except that parties can renegotiate terms upon which representation will continue. Client authorizes Firm to make changes to any payment schedule and take payments with verbal authorization.

4. Virtual Representation. Client understands and agrees that Firm represents its clients virtually, meaning primarily through means of telephonic and digital (online) communication. Client agrees that whenever possible, Client's communication with the firm will not be face to face at a physical office, but rather through email, over the phone or through a virtual meeting room that Client accesses through Client's computer or telephone. Client has elected to use the Firm, in part, because the Firm offers this service and Client finds this service to be more efficient and convenient. Client also understands that court rules within Client's local jurisdiction may require Client to sign Client's final documents in the presence of the lawyer, in which case Client agrees that Client will travel to Client's lawyer's office at a mutually agreeable meeting time.

5. Guarantee - Refund Policy. Firm offers a 100% Money Back Guarantee that if the courts do not accept your bankruptcy filing because of an error on our part, we will refund 100% of your money, including the filing fee. The guarantee covers everything that a bankruptcy law firm produces in order to successfully complete a bankruptcy. We guarantee that it will be done in a manner that is accepted for filing with the bankruptcy clerk's office. Exceptions: There may be reasons beyond our control that may cause a case to be dismissed or cause the result to be different than what Firm represented was the likely outcome. Therefore, the 100% Money-Back Guarantee does not guarantee; a) that you will receive a discharge. b) that you will receive a discharge of all debts or of any particular debt. c) that you, our client, will successfully complete all of your obligations including accurate disclosure of debts and assets, completing your forms and courses on time and attending your 341 meeting as scheduled. d) that you will not lose assets in chapter 7, or that creditors won't successfully argue for the repossession of collateral in chapter 13. e) that you will not encounter challenges of any kind to your bankruptcy case. Except as provided in this paragraph and in section 2 above, all fees forwarded and paid to Firm constitute earned compensation upon receipt by Firm and become property of the Firm and Firm is not obligated to refund any portion to Client regardless of when or in what manner this matter may be concluded, or this agreement terminated.

6. Due Diligence. Firm may investigate/verify the information provided by Client via third party sources and is authorized to amend information provided by Client as a result of its investigation. Firm may order (at Client's expense), or request client order, due diligence documentation/items, including but not limited to appraisals, real estate and auto valuations, credit checks, tax transcripts, asset searches and anything firm deems appropriate to confirm Client information. If not provided by Client within 30 days of request, or at Client's request, Firm, at its discretion is authorized to utilize certain due diligence products and pass through to Client the cost of such products plus a reasonable administrative fee to compensate Firm for the time to order and process such documents.

7. Debtor's Obligations to Pay Designated Costs/Fees/Due Diligence. In addition to the Retainer, the Client shall be obligated to obtain/pay for the following items: (a) Pre-filing consumer credit counseling; (b) post-filing debtor education instructional course; (c) tax transcripts; (d) public record, asset/lien searches; (e) copies of judgments, deeds, deeds of trust, title certificates, court papers, county tax records, appraisals, broker price opinions (BPO), auto valuations, and other similar documents; (f) any other records or statements not produced by Client; (g) administrative costs, e.g., postage, parking, copies, gas limited to a flat fee of \$100; (i) court costs related to the potential filing of a Chapter 7 bankruptcy case (currently \$306.00, \$335 as of 6/1/14); and (j) cost of amended schedules (\$176.00).

8. Bankruptcy Services further defined. The Services included in the Retainer are (a) informing Client of Client's rights and responsibilities under the Bankruptcy Laws; (b) providing consultation to enable the Client to make an informed decision about filing Chapter 7; (c) advising Client of all available exemptions; (d) assisting the Client in complying with all of the requirements imposed by the Bankruptcy Laws and Rules, (e) preparing and electronically filing all bankruptcy documents; (f) drafting and mailing notice to creditors; (g) notifying Client of, preparing Client for, and attending only THE ORIGINAL Section 341 meeting of creditors; (h) assisting Client in complying with information requests by the Bankruptcy Trustee, the Court, or other parties; (i) communicating with all parties involved in the case; (j) reviewing of Bankruptcy Petition and Schedules; (k) sending any pre-filing correspondence; and (l) calculating Current Monthly Income to determine if any presumption of abuse would arise under the bankruptcy code. Client has received a free consultation without any obligation to retain Firm. Client agrees that the consultation time is now part of the Bankruptcy Services. As to subsection (g) of this section, Debtor expressly authorizes Firm to designate counsel to appear on Client's behalf at creditor meetings and hearings, at no additional cost to Client.

9. Additional or Non-Base Legal Services POST-PETITION. Legal services which are beyond those contemplated in the Base Retainer may be provided by Attorney POST PETITION at an additional fee, including but not limited to representing Client in: (a) Discharge proceedings, including those related to student loans, taxes or undue hardships; (b) motions for relief from, or continuation, defense or enforcement of the Automatic Stay (c) motions to redeem personal property(\$600.00); (d) rule 2004 examinations; (e) motions to avoid liens/judgments(\$500.00); (f) contested matters or adversary proceedings; (g) contested matters regarding Client's claim of exempt property; (h) filing any amendments to the

schedules; (i) motions to continue the 341 meeting of creditors and/or appearing for a continued 341 hearing(\$150.00); (j) motions or adversary complaints to abandon/refinance/sell/purchase property; (k) assisting in carrying out the Debtor's Statement of Intentions; (l) monitoring an "asset case"; (m) re-opening a bankruptcy case to submit post-filing proof of pre-discharge counseling; (n) issues that arise that are not specifically listed in the Retainer. For such non-base services, you will be charged \$395.00 per hour for attorney time and \$125/hour for paraprofessional time billed in 6-minute minimum increments, however, the Firm will be entitled to contingency fee of 25% of garnishment recovery. Client hereby authorizes Firm, but does not require it, to investigate for the existence of violations of the automatic stay, the discharge injunction, or for breach of any state/federal consumer protection statutes or bankruptcy code violations, and to prosecute them with or without the assistance designated counsel as Firm deems necessary to pursue such claims. If Client decides with Firm to bring an individual Lawsuit then, in the event of a recovery through settlement or judgment, the fee will be calculated by applying the greater of: a) a multiple of Firm's usual hourly rates at the time of the Recovery, times the actual hours expended on this matter, or; b) \$1750 of the first \$2000 in total Recovery, plus 50% of the Recovery in excess of \$2000, or; c) in the event Firm successfully pursues an FDCPA or TCPA claim, Client shall receive no less than \$500. **If Firm loses a lawsuit brought on Client's behalf then Client will not be obligated to pay a fee or costs.**

10. Reaffirmation Agreements. Firm is retained to negotiate, review, and execute any re-affirmation agreements with Client's creditors, and to appear at any reaffirmation hearings. Where permissible, such services are considered Non-Base Services and Firm will charge \$150.00 per signed reaffirmation. In various jurisdictions, services for reaffirmation agreements may not be excluded in Firm's limited scope retainer agreement, in which case the \$150.00 fee will be waived by Firm. Client understands creditors are not obligated to offer reaffirmation agreements. Unless Client obtains a reaffirmation agreement from creditor and contacts Firm to negotiate and/or file a reaffirmation agreement signed by BOTH creditor and Client, Client and Firm shall presume no reaffirmation agreement exists or was requested by Client. Client should continue to make payments on items Client desires to reaffirm, obtain an executed reaffirmation agreement, or risk losing said items. Client agrees the Firm has no obligation to execute any reaffirmation agreement and reserves the right NOT to sign/execute any reaffirmation agreement on behalf of Client, particularly if, in the Firm's reasonable judgment, executing such agreement would not be in the best interest of Client.

11. Receipt and Acknowledgement of Mandatory Notices and Disclosures. The Bankruptcy Code as amended effective 10/17/2005 requires that Firm provide mandatory notices and disclosures to Client. Client acknowledges that Client has received, read, and understands the two documents titled Statement Mandated by Section 527(b) of the Bankruptcy Code and Notice to Clients Who Contemplate filing Bankruptcy. Such disclosures are acknowledged by Client, and are incorporated by reference and made part of this Agreement

12. Client Representations of Good Faith and to Firm. Client attests and affirms that they have not given Firm any false or misleading information or omitted any information from Firm. If Client is making payment arrangements, Client agrees to "auto pay" via debit card or ACH from a checking account, set up with Firm's billing department as part of Firm's willingness to take payments and any payments sent by check may be converted and processed by Firm as an ACH or "V-Check" transaction.

13. NSF Checks. Client agrees to pay a \$50.00 for dishonored checks plus fees/costs associated with collection, thereof, and any other balance due on this account, including but not limited to attorney fees and court costs, with a minimum fee of \$500.00 for additional attorney fees.

14. Retention and Disposition of Records. Firm maintains files indefinitely, but reserves the right to destroy any file 10 years starting from the date the case is closed. Firm encourages Client to keep and maintain copies of all bankruptcy related matters. Client may request a copy of the file or any documents within the file by sending a written request with a retrieval and duplication fee of \$50. Firm satisfies such requests within thirty (30) days of receipt. Client may expedite delivery to under ten days by paying \$75 per request.

15. Limited Power of Attorney. Client agrees that the signature on this contract also grants Firm a limited power of attorney to affix its signature to any authorization forms required to (a) obtain tax information from any third party tax preparer, accountant, the state or federal taxing authority or any other party in possession of any type of tax information/returns related to Client, including, but not limited to copies of Client's tax returns and/or transcripts, and 2) obtain due diligence products from third parties including, but not limited to, real estate appraisals and/or comparative market analyses, title searches, asset searches, personal property valuations, and credit reports.

16. I/WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE INFORMATION DISCLOSED IN THE PETITION IS GIVEN UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY AND THAT THE FEDERAL PENALTY FOR PERJURY MAY INCLUDE IMPRISONMENT AND HEAVY FINES.

DATED THIS 9th DAY OF December, 2014

CLIENT(S)		Firm: UpRight Law LLC, A Debt Relief Agency	
Client:	Emily Romero	For Firm:	
Print:	Emily Romero	Print:	
Client:			
Print:			

Automatic Payment Program Application and Authorization for ACH withdrawals

This authorization shall be attached to and become part of the signed, acknowledged, and executed written Attorney Client Retainer Agreement for Legal Services ("Agreement"), and in accordance with, and subject to the terms and conditions of said Agreement with Firm, that was entered into on the 9th day of December, 2014, by and between UpRight Law LLC ("Firm") and the undersigned.

By execution hereof and by providing the banking information listed below, the undersigned fully authorize Firm to charge my/our hometown bank checking/savings account by initiating single or recurring ACH, debit or credit entries to my/our accounts at the depository institution named below on a regular basis (i.e. when the charges would typically be invoiced to Client(s) by Firm in the regular course of business, or when they are incurred in accordance with the Agreement) as payment for the legal services, expenses and related costs described above and in accordance with the Agreement between Firm and Client executed for legal representation. Examples of charges that are authorized herein, include but are not limited to, (a) all legal fees for services as set forth in the Agreement; (b) all expenses, including but not limited to, all expenses, court costs, filing fees, due diligence costs, set monthly payments (if any agreed to) and the like as set forth in the Agreement; (c) all fixed charges as set forth in the Agreement in relation to Firm's representation of Client(s); (d) all variable services as set forth in the Agreement, including but not limited to administrative, copy, fax, parking, long distance, or other charges incurred as part of Firm's representation of Client(s) pursuant to the Agreement, including without limitation, all services described in the Agreement.

Additionally, the undersigned further authorize Firm to initiate any adjusting or correcting entry or entries as may be necessary to fulfill Client (s) obligations to Firm. I/we agree not to challenge or reverse said authorized payments but may cancel this Agreement for future payments by written notice received by Firm, in accordance with and subject to the terms and conditions of my/our written Agreement with Firm, and this application and authorization are hereby made apart of said written agreement in those instances.

It is understood and agreed that any charge initiated by Firm will be on behalf of the legal agreement I/we have with Firm and will be considered a payment on our legal agreement with Firm pursuant to said Agreement and I/we will be fully credited with the full payment charged to said Agreement. I/we understand that for bankruptcy related services we may NOT use a credit card but may use a debit card with a credit card logo that is linked to a checking, savings, or money market account.

I/we are a duly authorized signor on the account, identified herein, and authorize all the above as evidenced by my/our signature(s).

Summary of fees:

Attorney's Fees: \$1,300.00

Court Filing Fees: \$335.00

Report Fees: \$50.00

Total Fees: \$1,685.00

Payment #	Process Date	Amount
1	Dec 08, 2014	\$1,000.00

Bank Name:	Bank Account Number:	Routing Number:
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Debit Card Number:	*****7594	Exp. Date:	02/2016	CVV:	737	Client name(s) on debit card:	Emily M Romero
Client name(s) on account:	Account Type:		Savings				
Street Address:	701 Locust Street	City:	Sterling	County:			
State:	IL	Zip Code:	61081	Telephone Number:	815-441-7787		

I/WE, the undersigned, hereby authorize INSERT NAME OF VENDOR as a Vendor of UpRight Law LLC to ACH the checking/savings account listed above for the amount(s) authorized above beginning on the dates listed above and in accordance with my Agreement with Firm and this Application. This authorization is to remain in full force and effect until UpRight Law LLC (Firm) has received written notification from me/us of its termination in such time and manner as to afford UpRight Law LLC (Firm) a reasonable opportunity to act on it.

DATED THIS 9th DAY OF December, 2014

Client Signature:		Client Signature:	
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Any changes to the draft dates listed on this form must be made five (5) days in advance of the scheduled payment. We are unable to change or stop any charges from processing without a minimum of 5 days notice. Postponement or cancellation of fees may result in a lapse or termination of representation. UpRight Law and its processors; their employees agents, vendors and officers are not responsible for any and all costs, fees, charges, expenses or damages resulting from the collection and debit of any scheduled payment(s) authorized, agreed to and acknowledged by client.

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
NOTICE TO CONSUMER DEBTOR(S) UNDER § 342(b)
OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE**

In accordance with § 342(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, this notice to individuals with primarily consumer debts: (1) Describes briefly the services available from credit counseling services; (2) Describes briefly the purposes, benefits and costs of the four types of bankruptcy proceedings you may commence; and (3) Informs you about bankruptcy crimes and notifies you that the Attorney General may examine all information you supply in connection with a bankruptcy case.

You are cautioned that bankruptcy law is complicated and not easily described. Thus, you may wish to seek the advice of an attorney to learn of your rights and responsibilities should you decide to file a petition. Court employees cannot give you legal advice.

Notices from the bankruptcy court are sent to the mailing address you list on your bankruptcy petition. In order to ensure that you receive information about events concerning your case, Bankruptcy Rule 4002 requires that you notify the court of any changes in your address. If you are filing a **joint case** (a single bankruptcy case for two individuals married to each other), and each spouse lists the same mailing address on the bankruptcy petition, you and your spouse will generally receive a single copy of each notice mailed from the bankruptcy court in a jointly-addressed envelope, unless you file a statement with the court requesting that each spouse receive a separate copy of all notices.

1. Services Available from Credit Counseling Agencies

With limited exceptions, § 109(h) of the Bankruptcy Code requires that all individual debtors who file for bankruptcy relief on or after October 17, 2005, receive a briefing that outlines the available opportunities for credit counseling and provides assistance in performing a budget analysis. The briefing must be given within 180 days **before** the bankruptcy filing. The briefing may be provided individually or in a group (including briefings conducted by telephone or on the Internet) and must be provided by a nonprofit budget and credit counseling agency approved by the United States trustee or bankruptcy administrator. The clerk of the bankruptcy court has a list that you may consult of the approved budget and credit counseling agencies. Each debtor in a joint case must complete the briefing.

In addition, after filing a bankruptcy case, an individual debtor generally must complete a financial management instructional course before he or she can receive a discharge. The clerk also has a list of approved financial management instructional courses. Each debtor in a joint case must complete the course.

2. The Four Chapters of the Bankruptcy Code Available to Individual Consumer Debtors

Chapter 7: Liquidation (\$245 filing fee, \$75 administrative fee, \$15 trustee surcharge: Total Fee \$335)

Chapter 7 is designed for debtors in financial difficulty who do not have the ability to pay their existing debts. Debtors whose debts are primarily consumer debts are subject to a "means test" designed to determine whether the case should be permitted to proceed under chapter 7. If your income is greater than the median income for your state of residence and family size, in some cases, the United States trustee (or bankruptcy administrator), the trustee, or creditors have the right to file a motion requesting that the court dismiss your case under § 707(b) of the Code. It is up to the court to decide whether the case should be dismissed.

Under chapter 7, you may claim certain of your property as exempt under governing law. A trustee may have the right to take possession of and sell the remaining property that is not exempt and use the sale proceeds to pay your creditors.

The purpose of filing a chapter 7 case is to obtain a discharge of your existing debts. If, however, you are found to have committed certain kinds of improper conduct described in the Bankruptcy Code, the court may deny your discharge and, if it does, the purpose for which you filed the bankruptcy petition will be defeated.

Even if you receive a general discharge, some particular debts are not discharged under the law. Therefore, you may still be responsible for most taxes and student loans; debts incurred to pay nondischargeable taxes; domestic support and property settlement obligations; most fines, penalties, forfeitures, and criminal restitution obligations; certain debts which are not properly listed in your bankruptcy papers; and debts for death or personal injury caused by operating a motor vehicle, vessel, or aircraft while intoxicated from alcohol or drugs. Also, if a creditor can prove that a debt arose from fraud, breach of fiduciary duty, or theft, or from a willful and malicious injury, the bankruptcy court may determine that the debt is not discharged.

Chapter 13: Repayment of All or Part of the Debts of an Individual with Regular Income (\$235 filing fee, \$75 administrative fee: Total Fee \$310)

Chapter 13 is designed for individuals with regular income who would like to pay all or part of their debts in installments over

a period of time. You are only eligible for chapter 13 if your debts do not exceed certain dollar amounts set forth in the Bankruptcy Code.

Under chapter 13, you must file with the court a plan to repay your creditors all or part of the money that you owe them, using your future earnings. The period allowed by the court to repay your debts may be three years or five years, depending upon your income and other factors. The court must approve your plan before it can take effect.

After completing the payments under your plan, your debts are generally discharged except for domestic support obligations; most student loans; certain taxes; most criminal fines and restitution obligations; certain debts which are not properly listed in your bankruptcy papers; certain debts for acts that caused death or personal injury; and certain long term secured obligations.

Chapter 11: Reorganization (\$1,167 filing fee, \$550 administrative fee: Total Fee \$1,717)

Chapter 11 is designed for the reorganization of a business but is also available to consumer debtors. Its provisions are quite complicated, and any decision by an individual to file a chapter 11 petition should be reviewed with an attorney.

Chapter 12: Family Farmer or Fisherman (\$200 filing fee, \$75 administrative fee: Total Fee \$275)

Chapter 12 is designed to permit family farmers and fishermen to repay their debts over a period of time from future earnings and is similar to chapter 13. The eligibility requirements are restrictive, limiting its use to those whose income arises primarily from a family-owned farm or commercial fishing operation.

3. Bankruptcy Crimes and Availability of Bankruptcy Papers to Law Enforcement Officials

A person who knowingly and fraudulently conceals assets or makes a false oath or statement under penalty of perjury, either orally or in writing, in connection with a bankruptcy case is subject to a fine, imprisonment, or both. All information supplied by a debtor in connection with a bankruptcy case is subject to examination by the Attorney General acting through the Office of the United States Trustee, the Office of the United States Attorney, and other components and employees of the Department of Justice.

WARNING: Section 521(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code requires that you promptly file detailed information regarding your creditors, assets, liabilities, income, expenses and general financial condition. Your bankruptcy case may be dismissed if this information is not filed with the court within the time deadlines set by the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and the local rules of the court. The documents and the deadlines for filing them are listed on Form B200, which is posted at http://www.uscourts.gov/bkforms/bankruptcy_forms.html#procedure.

B 201B (Form 201B) (12/09)

United States Bankruptcy Court
Northern District of Illinois

In re Emily Michelle Romero

Debtor(s)

Case No. _____

Chapter 7

CERTIFICATION OF NOTICE TO CONSUMER DEBTOR(S)
UNDER § 342(b) OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE

Certification of Debtor

I (We), the debtor(s), affirm that I (we) have received and read the attached notice, as required by § 342(b) of the Bankruptcy Code.

Emily Michelle Romero

Printed Name(s) of Debtor(s)

X /s/ Emily Michelle Romero

Signature of Debtor

August 18, 2015

Date

Case No. (if known) _____

X _____

Signature of Joint Debtor (if any)

Date

Instructions: Attach a copy of Form B 201 A, Notice to Consumer Debtor(s) Under § 342(b) of the Bankruptcy Code.

Use this form to certify that the debtor has received the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) **only** if the certification has **NOT** been made on the Voluntary Petition, Official Form B1. Exhibit B on page 2 of Form B1 contains a certification by the debtor's attorney that the attorney has given the notice to the debtor. The Declarations made by debtors and bankruptcy petition preparers on page 3 of Form B1 also include this certification.

**United States Bankruptcy Court
Northern District of Illinois**

In re Emily Michelle Romero Case No. _____
Debtor(s) Chapter 7

VERIFICATION OF CREDITOR MATRIX

Number of Creditors: 19

The above-named Debtor(s) hereby verifies that the list of creditors is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge.

Date: August 18, 2015

/s/ Emily Michelle Romero
Emily Michelle Romero
Signature of Debtor

Cach Llc/Square Two Financial
Attention: Bankruptcy
4340 South Monaco St. 2nd Floor
Denver, CO 80237

Capital One
Attn: Bankruptcy
Po Box 30285
Salt Lake City, UT 84130

Chase Card
Po Box 15298
Wilmington, DE 19850

Enhanced Recovery Corp
Attention: Client Services
8014 Bayberry Rd
Jacksonville, FL 32256

IC System
Attn: Bankruptcy
444 Highway 96 East; Po Box 64378
St. Paul, MN 55164

Michael Mellott
201 E. 3rd St.
Sterling, IL 61081

Portfolio Recovery Ass
287 Independence
Virginia Beach, VA 23462

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287 Independence
Virginia Beach, VA 23462

Rock Island Growth Corp.
100 19th Street
Suite 109
Rock Island, IL 61201

Rrca Acct Mgmt
201 E 3rd St
Sterling, IL 61081

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201 E 3rd St
Sterling, IL 61081

Stellar Recovery Inc
4500 Salisbury Rd Ste 10
Jacksonville, FL 32216

US Bank
PO Box 1800
Saint Paul, MN 55101

Us Bank Home Mortgage
777 E Wisconsin
Milwaukee, WI 53202

Us Dept Of Ed/glelsi
2401 International
Madison, WI 53704

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Ward Murray Pace & Johnson P.C.
202 E 5th St.
Sterling, IL 61081

Whiteside County Health Dept.
1300 W. Second St.
Rock Falls, IL 61071-1005